

SUN BEAMS

by WALTER M. BARRETT

We have it from good authority that the trustees of the Meadow Lake Union High school are going ahead with plans to expend at least \$15,000 on another gymnasium and will include a large portion of the cost in this year's budget. Some time ago we voiced a veiled protest to this contemplated action, basing our objection on the fact that at the present time Truckee has two fine buildings adaptable for indoor recreational purposes but their use blocked by technicalities. We believed then—and still believe, after a closer study of the matter—that an honest, concerted effort should be made to remove these objections before the taxpayers are put to the expense of erecting still another structure. While it may be an exaggeration of thought, we would like to know what definite assurance we have that even though a third structure is built, it will be used as a gymnasium? We had every assurance prior to the erection of the others that they could and would be used as gyms. Regardless of that question, however, we would urge the board of trustees to go carefully and before they fix a higher tax rate than we are now paying, which to us is a bit exorbitant for the value received, to ascertain conclusively that neither of the other expensive buildings cannot be used. Another delay of a few weeks after all these long years of waiting will not make a lot of difference, but additional school taxes at this time will not be appreciated.

Bearing out the prophecies of experienced anglers, Boca reservoir is developing into a fine fishing location. Large limits have been taken from the reservoir and with the fine natural spawning grounds above, it is easy to believe that before long the body of water will be one of the most popular locations in the state. We hope the fish and game commission won't install a stripping ground there when the fish grow a little thicker in population.

Local Youth Celebrates Birthday With Party

Bert Weeden, Jr., celebrated his ninth birthday with a party at the home of his parents, entertaining 10 of his friends last week.

Games and refreshments featured the afternoon. Howard Painter won the principal game which was "Pin the Tail on the Donkey."

The 10 young men at the party were Everett Kullenbach, Buddy Pitts, Donald Freeman, Martin Oroz, George Lazzari, Melford Barton, Howard Painter, Carl Keck, Jr., Nick Sassarini and Luane Hightower.

COMMISSION TO MEET

The state fish and game commission will meet in San Francisco Friday and Saturday to conduct a hearing on a proposal to close California's trout fishing season September 30th instead of October 15th each year.

BUY PIANO

Trustees of the local grammar school bought a new grand piano for the school at a cost of more than \$500.

LAKE ROADS STILL CLOSED

The roads to Webber Lake, Sierra county, and Independence Lake, Nevada county, are still closed and will remain so until about June 1st. As fishing season in that area is not open until May 30th, there is no incentive to have the roads open.

MEMORIAL SERVICES

As next Sunday is Memorial Sunday, the morning worship service in the Truckee Community church will be planned in keeping with the occasion. Members of the American Legion and other patriotic and civic organizations are invited to join the service.

89th Birthday—

Mrs. Emaline Cox of Fresno, grandmother of Mrs. A. P. Leitch, is visiting in Truckee where she will observe her 89th birthday on Saturday.

To Woodland—

Mrs. J. C. Titus returned to Woodland Sunday where she will visit relatives while receiving medical treatment.

Fishing Here—

Russell B. Farley, liquor control official, and Roy Terrell of Grass Valley, spent the week-end fishing near

Mrs. Frank Slater of Minden, Nev., visited their lakeshore home at Sunday Tuesday.

Mrs. E. C. Rogers of Lake street returned to her Tahoe home Saturday after spending the winter with her son in San Francisco.

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"IT SHINES FOR ALL"

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Outing Club To Be Reorganized At Meeting Here

Plans Progressing to Have Winter Sports for Truckee

FOREST SERVICE AIDS

Land Transfer Will Provide Adequate Room On Local Hill

Revision of the Truckee Outing club as a medium for handling and promoting winter sports in the Truckee region was decided on at the last meeting of committee from various local booster organizations who met Thursday at the fire station.

Assistant Forest Supervisor Leland Smith and District Ranger H. I. Snider attended the meeting and pledged the full co-operation of the forest service in any worthwhile program outlined by the group.

A proposal was made to secure the services of a group of SRA men for work on the winter sports hill during the coming summer and fall months. It is also possible, the forest men said, that services of some CCC men may also be available.

Verne Pearson was authorized to investigate the possibility of securing the men's camp.

Snider said he was arranging for a transfer or trade of property so that it might be possible to have the winter sports program on a desirable location just south of Truckee on the slopes of Pinnacle Point. It is impossible to secure federal aid for projects on private property, he declared, in explaining the necessity for the trade.

Another meeting of the group will be held tonight at which time the officers will be chosen and reports made on the progress of the various committees. Yell Nobles presided as chairman of the last meeting.

Twenty members were signed in the organization at the meeting and it is expected to run the membership up to a new record this year.

Southern Pacific Fire Trains Shifted Around for Season

ROSEVILLE, May 23—The Southern Pacific has called the Norden fire train for duty beginning yesterday and extending until the heavy snowfall next winter.

The first wire train of the season was sent to Emigrant Gap and a standby was sent to Truckee.

Record Crowd Attend Pythian Roll Call Here

More than 300 members and guests of Summit Lodge No. 54, Knights of Pythias, Saturday night attended the annual roll call and anniversary of the order at the Truckee Grammar school auditorium. The affair was one of the biggest of its kind ever held here and the program was well arranged by Chairman W. M. Englehart, Sr., and his committee.

William A. Lahanier, grand chancellor of the domain of California, and 14 other grand officers of California and Nevada, including Mrs. Lou Garris, grand chief of the Pythian Sisters, who officially visited the local lodge previously, were on hand and several gave short talks.

Chancellor Commander Fred Kohler of the local lodge presided and introduced speakers.

Loynd's at Tahoe City Is Open; Others will Follow

Loynd's of Tahoe City was opened this week for the summer season with a full staff of clerks and a registered pharmacist to care for the drug needs of the permanent and summer residents of the resort area. A complete new stock of drugs, accessories and incidentals has been installed at the store. The soda fountain is operating and a complete service equal to metropolitan areas is available.

E. L. Loynd, the proprietor, said that the King's Beach store will be opened this month and the Home-wood branch during the first two weeks of June.

SHOW OFF CAST GET READY TO PRODUCE PLAY ON JUNE 8TH

The Show Off cast, under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Wilkie, Sr., is working overtime getting in perfect form for the big event slated for Saturday, June 8th, at the grammar school auditorium. The three-day comedy, written by George Kelly, promises to be an exceptional entertainment and during the past two months the cast of local artists has worked diligently to bring out the best the story has to offer.

The play has received enviable credit from the nation's critics and was an outstanding success on Broadway.

Tickets for the production went on sale this week and as there are only 350 available seats, those wishing to see the play are advised to make their purchase early. No seats are being reserved.

The cast is headed by Frank W. Gaellie, a talented thespian, who will share the lead with Miss Mary Pierce, who won the approval of local theater fans when she was seen in the cast of high school plays a year ago. Seven other able players are in the supporting cast.

BOCA RESERVOIR IS FISHERMAN'S HAVEN

Boca reservoir is proving to be a mecca for fishermen. During the past week, scores of local and visiting nimrods have frequented the reservoir and all have reported exceptionally good luck. Bert Weeden has accounted for two limits, Stan Gregory has landed a limit, Fred Kohler and three other fishermen from out of town each reported weight limits and Mrs. Chester Matson is credited with the largest catch from the newly discovered spot when she hooked a four pound rainbow. All the rainbow averaged over two pounds each.

The largest reported fish for this week was a nine pound mackinaw from Tahoe by Bill Johnson. Mrs. Mary Rouquette also landed a nine-pounder and a six-pounder this week.

Fly fishing is beginning to perk up on the Truckee river and many good catches have been reported in the past week.

Wyethia Club Officers Are Installed in Meeting

Officers of the women's Wyethia club for the coming year, beginning on the first Thursday in September, were installed Thursday evening at the last meeting prior to the summer season.

Mrs. Laurence Zoebel, retiring president, was presented with a teak wood stand and a large Chinese bowl by the members.

A. P. Leitch, manager of the local telephone office, showed moving pictures which interested the group. Mesdames C. B. White and Harold Laity presided at the tables during the supper hour.

Mrs. James Garibaldi was seated as president, Mrs. Elden Tonini as vice president, Mrs. V. L. Deaton as recording secretary, Mrs. Gene Barton as financial secretary, Mrs. Yell Nobles as treasurer and Mrs. Clair Goode as auditor.

Members of the Wyethia club who inaugurated a tree planting campaign for Truckee two weeks ago, announced that more than a score of trees have been planted and are being cared for along the streets. Because of the lateness of the season, it was found advisable to stop the work of this spring, but plans are to continue again next year.

Tahoe Ski Club Dinner, Card Party Next June 8th

TAHOE CITY, May 23—The Tahoe Ski club will give a dinner and card party at the Tahoe community center on June 8th. Dinner will be served from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., with bridge and pinocle following.

A small admission will be charged to cover costs. Mrs. Stella Watson will act as hostess.

Lincoln Visitors—

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Burnett of Lincoln were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Titus last week.

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Stolen Loot Found Under Local School

Officers Probe Discovery Of Cache Secreted In Basement

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Items Identified by Local Merchants as Taken From Stores

Loot from a series of local petty thefts was discovered yesterday under the Truckee grammar school in a secretive location over the furnace room, accessible only from the inside, according to Deputy Sheriff N. F. Dolley.

The discovery was made by George Pace, local plumber, who was working under the building. The loot had evidently been there some time from all indications.

Among the sundry items were six bundled shovels from the Truckee Mercantile, three radio sets, mechanical tools, flash light batteries and other items.

Dolley said the garage tools were identified as belonging to Thornton's Garage and the batteries came from D. Cabona's store.

Mrs. Watson Begins 8th Year as School Bus Driver

TAHOE CITY, May 23—Mrs. Stella Watson of Tahoe City was chosen by unanimous vote of the board of trustees to drive the school bus for another year.

This will be her eighth year with the board, starting with four pupils in a roadster, the equipment now is a GMC bus with a capacity of 35.

Mrs. Watson probably drives the greatest distance per day of any woman bus driver in California—90 miles a day. Last July she had completed 25 years of driving without a wreck and is on her way to a record of 26 years.

Miss Givens Directs Pupils In Local School Operetta

"The Gypsy Rover", an operetta, will be presented in the grammar school auditorium Tuesday at 8 p.m. by the children of the school, under the direction of Miss Bernice Givens.

The cast includes Peggy Miser, Yolanda Giovannoni, Otis Freeman, Earl Smith, George Kamp, Rene Hart, Mack Gates, Jimmy Preston, Patsy Mahne, Kenneth Snider, Don Freeman, Howard Hendricks.

Pre-school Clinic Slated For Wyethia Club House

Dr. E. Banks will be here on Monday to examine children under school age. Through cooperation of the Wyethia club and the Truckee Union Parent-Teachers association, the examinations will be held in the Wyethia building on West River street.

Nurse Newberry will accompany and assist Dr. Banks from 9:30 a.m. until 3 p.m., excluding the noon hour.

All parents are urged to send or bring their children under school age for the examination.

Tuesday Is Last Day For Community Band Sign-up

Henry Risser, who has been forming a band here, announced that Tuesday, May 27th, is the limit for signing up with him for the musical work, thirty have now enrolled.

Risser said he had contacted local organizations for support in obtaining instruments for the group.

LEGION ELECTION

Officers of Truckee Post No. 439, American Legion, will be elected at a meeting to be held Tuesday, June 4th. All members are being requested to attend and participate in the election.

AGENT RETURNS

There can no longer be any doubt about Lake Tahoe being opened for the season, Sam Neff, genial Railway Express agent at Tahoe City, has returned for the task he has capably filled for many years.

ALEX ROBERTSON IN RACE TO SUCCEED SELF AT PRIMARY

Alex Robertson, incumbent, this week announced that he would be a candidate for the office of supervisor of the Fifth Nevada County district, to succeed himself at the primary election on August 27th.

Robertson, a resident of this district for the past 30 years, has served as supervisor for 12 years. He has made his home here and at Hobart Mills during his residence in the county and has gained many friends with his work as supervisor.

"I have made every effort to serve my district efficiently, honestly and in all fairness during my time as supervisor," Robertson said. "If re-elected, I will continue to do my best to represent the fifth district as I have in the past."

BICYCLIST AROUND TAHOE IN 5 1/2 HOURS

Last Sunday the first bicycle ride around Lake Tahoe was done in 5 1/2 hours. The rider, Doug Elliot, is employed as a bookkeeper for N. R. Mayfield. He left Tahoe City at 6:20 a.m. and was back by 11:50 a.m.

He was mounted on a Schwinn Paramount with three speeds and two brakes.

Two summers ago Elliot cycled to Maine and Florida and back in six months. He is a graduate of University of California, class of '38.

Local Lions To Sponsor Ball Diamond, Playground

The Truckee Lions Club last night voted to sponsor the soft-ball diamond and playground made possible by the work of the recently dissolved clean-up committee. C. J. Bowers and R. S. Boren will have charge of the grounds and the sum of \$20 was voted to get the first equipment.

Bowers, chairman of promotion for "The Show-Off", reported on progress being made and tickets were distributed for sale. It is indicated, Bowers said, that all seats will be sold before the date of the show.

Work during the past week has progressed rapidly on leveling and getting the proposed softball diamond just off Bridge street in condition for a recreational center. The county tractor and scraper were used to good advantage for two days and a considerable work was done.

'Grapes of Wrath' Will Show on Local Screen

Keeping up with all the latest and most noteworthy motion picture productions, Manager Verne Shattuck of the Donner Theater announces that "Grapes of Wrath", taken from John Steinbeck's prize novel of the same name, will be offered local patrons next Wednesday evening. The cast is headed by Henry Fonda as Tom Joad.

Whether you approve or disapprove of the story, the show is well worth seeing, according to critics from coast to coast.

Fish Planting Club Meet Set For Tuesday Evening

A meeting of the Sierra Fish Planting Club has been called for Tuesday evening, May 28th, at the fire house. At that time the executive committee will have a report to make on the progress and plans of the club.

Secretary Yell Nobles reports that a large number of new members have been enlisted in the organization but that many more must be secured if the proposed program is to be carried out to a successful conclusion.

All members and prospective members are urged to attend the meeting. President E. L. Loynd will preside.

OFFICE MOVED

The Southern Pacific roadmaster's office here has been moved from the room in the freight depot to the room in the eastern end of the passenger depot. This will provide better accommodations for both the freight department and the roadmaster's staff.

Graduated—

Sgt. C. E. McKeen was scheduled to receive his degree from the Northwestern University traffic institute on May 18th at Evanston, Ill.

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Graduation For Schools To Be Early In June

Grammar School Class Totals 11 with Five From High School

PROGRAMS ARE SET

Summer Vacations to Follow Exercises at Local Schools

J. P. Puffinberger, assistant professor of the school of education at University of Nevada, will be the main speaker at the graduation exercises of the Meadow Lake Union High school which will be held in the grammar school auditorium on the evening of June 7th.

Dorothy Barrett will give the valedictory address and Zeldia Petroni will deliver the salutatory. Yvonne Joseph, Anna Schmidt and William Preston will receive their diplomas.

Rev. G. J. E. Keetch will give the invocation and Miss Joseph will be heard in a violin solo and Betty and Verna Pearson will render a piano duet. Kenneth Foster and James Leamon will play accordion duets.

The program will conclude with the presentation of awards of merit for work well done and the receiving of diplomas by the graduates from H. I. Snider, president of the board of trustees.

The eighth grade commencement program, to be presented in the auditorium on June 4th at 8 p.m. will include the following:

"I Love You California", invocation by Rev. Keetch, welcoming address by George Kamp, commencement time by Violet Holgate, the country school house by Nick Sassarini, class will be Peggy Miser, hall of sighs by Betty Bick, accordion duet by August Esola and Sam Costa, find a way by David Bolender, parting charge to seventh grade by Dick Weeks, guest speech by Rev. Keetch, valedictory by Rene Hart, presentation of diplomas by Mrs. Dan Smith, acceptance of diplomas by William Waters and a song, "God Bless America."

Rayburn Announces That Cal-Vada Opened This Week

John Rayburn, manager of Cal-Vada Lodge on Lake Tahoe, announces that he has secured the services of John Bahem and his music for the popular resort this season. Cal-Vada was opened last Saturday to a large crowd of pleasure seekers. The dining room and coffee shop of the resort are now catering to those who like good things to eat, Rayburn said.

Similar Names Cause Error In Valley Marriage Report

The Miss Mary Lou Hughes, whose marriage was announced in this paper last week, was not the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hughes who have a summer home on Donner Lake, but a young woman of the same name also residing in Woodland. Miss Hughes, the daughter of the Donner Lake residents, is employed in Santa Barbara at present.

Rotarians Entertained By Sleight of Hand Performer

Verl Parrish, sleight of hand artist, Monday entertained members of the Truckee Rotary club at their weekly meeting. Bob Jones was program chairman.

On Monday, May 27th, the Rotarians will travel to Soda Springs where they will have a Ladies Night with Oscar Jones as host and program chairman.

Other guests at Monday's meeting were C. E. Wallace of Berkeley and Tom Kane of Sacramento.

P.T. A TO RENO

Officers and members of the Truckee Union P.T. A. have been invited to attend a silver tea given by the Reno Union Saturday afternoon from 2:30 'til 4:30 at the South Side school in Reno. A musical section will be included in the program.

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EDITORIALS

'BLOOD, TOIL, TEARS, SWEAT'

Foreseeing in immediate weeks the most deadly attempts to conquer England by direct invasion since William the Conqueror annihilated the Saxons at Hastings in 1066, Winston Churchill last week declared to the House of Commons and the British people—"To win victory at all costs, victory in spite of all terrors—I can offer you nothing but blood and toil, tears and sweat!"

And on this side of the Atlantic, a shocked and horrified America, startled into full realization of the swiftness of modern war and the frightfulness of its offensive weapons, has determined upon speeding artillery, automatic rifles, ammunition, anti-aircraft equipment. Our planes are good but too few, and we have yet to train a great reservoir of military flying talent.

The American people unquestionably are in favor of rearmament and willing to pay the costs. But it will speed that program and make the colossal task less burdensome upon an already overtaxed people, if we divert many of our wasteful outputs of money and energy to the rearmament job. On WPA alone, for example, one billion dollars will be expended this year. For years WPA billions have gone largely into useless leaf-raking and shovel-leaning types of projects. Yet many skilled WPA workers could give value received for government checks by working as soldiers of preparedness—in building coastal defenses, air bases and other defense essentials. And by hundreds of thousands unskilled workers will be needed. Then, too, the morale of the unemployed, now on make-work jobs that are thin disguises for direct dole, would be immensely stimulated through work that is genuine. No labor could be more valuable than the toil of insuring America against the plague of blitzkrieg.

In such times as these, every possible energy, physical and financial, must be devoted to sound purposes. And only by the toil and sweat that must go into creation of adequate national rearmament may we guarantee ourselves against the blood and tears that flow in war-torn Europe.

BEWARE THE HAWKER

Maytime, the season when a nation prepares to pack up its troubles in an old travel bag and take to the highroad, also brings forth that vagabonding perennial—the itinerant peddler.

If he hasn't knocked at your door yet, he soon will—and with one foot planted solidly as a wharf piling against the door jamb, unreel to you the wonders of the non-collapsible finger-nail file, the combination bread-toaster and foot-warmer, and of the kitchen kut-up, guaranteed to slice peas so deftly you can make your own split pea soup.

But by the time the unsuspecting purchaser has tried out the combination foot-warmer, blown out three fuses, and seen the knife blade drop off the handle of the kitchen kut-up, the footloose peddler has ambled merrily on his way in search of new victims in the next city.

Let overly trusting housewives remember that when better bargains are offered, it is the stores of her own community who will offer them. It is strictly a matter of common-sense business to buy in your own community, for in so doing you boost your community. It is the stores and shops of your town whose payrolls provide employment, whose rent, light and tax bills furnish the wherewithal that helps keep the home town a going concern. The wandering peddler, here today and gone tomorrow, provides neither work, wealth, nor wages.

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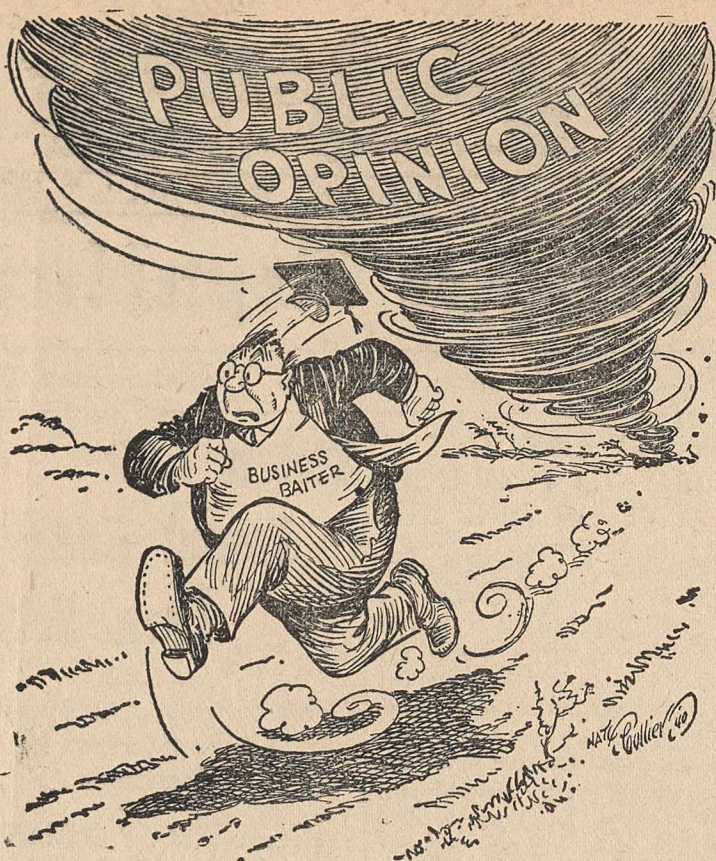
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'REAPING THE WHIRLWIND'



Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP

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SACRAMENTO, May 23 —(U.P.)—Most of the battles of the 53rd session of the legislature, which began a year ago January and are still raging, likely will crop up again when the 1941 session begins in January.

The controversies and bitter partisanship run too deeply to be forgotten in a few months. This is particularly true when the issues will be reshaped all over again in the elections.

Both factions will be staking their future on the outcome of the August and November elections. The Olsonites must make big gains to gain parity in either house, which will be a difficult assignment.

The governor definitely is out to unseat certain members of the "economy bloc" which upset his applecart in the state assembly. Most of these conservative Democrats will be seeking reelection but there are enough uncertainties to throw the outcome wide open, regardless of any success of Olson's purge campaign.

The lure of running for Congress has attracted its usual share of hopefuls. Most of the hat-tossers feel they are becoming a big shot in their districts, hence should be drafted for service in Washington. In practice, very few state legislators have made the grade into Congress. The incumbents are pretty well entrenched and many of the assemblymen find it tough going when they get out of their own districts.

Rumors in capitol halls infer that those eyeing the Congressional trail include Maurice Atkinson, Long Beach administration Democrat, the youngest man in the lower house (former Gov. Frank F. Merriam may be his most formidable opponent in this congressional race); Elmer Lore, Los Angeles Olson floorleader (al-

Know Your AMERICA

(Ed. Note: This is one of a series of short articles taken from data compiled for scenes of "America! Cavalcade of a Nation", theme spectacle of the 1940 California World's Fair.)

Before landing in Plymouth harbor, a group of 41 men on the Mayflower gathered in the cabin and signed the famous "Mayflower Compact," wherein they pledged allegiance to the King of England and bound themselves to obey "whatever laws, ordinances, acts, constitutions and offices should be thought most meet and convenient for the general good of the Colony." This voluntary agreement was the first instance of "self-determination" in our American history. And though the Plymouth Pilgrims never had a charter from the King, they made their own laws and chose their own officials year after year.

ready announced for Congress); Robert Green, San Francisco Republican; Gardiner Johnson, Berkeley Republican; Frederick Houser, Alhambra Republican and perhaps others.

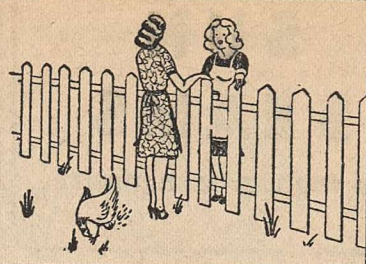
On the senate side, already in the congressional field are Ed Fletcher, San Diego Republican, and J. J. Hollister, Gaviota Democrat.

Then there is a certain contingent in the assembly who may not choose to run for reelection. This is chiefly because the arduous duties of being a legislator, with its constant headache of relief and special sessions, have become more worry than the job is worth, with its \$100 monthly stipend.

Under this heading might come Clarence Walker, Imperial county Republican rancher; Gordon W. Corwyn, Redlands Republican rancher, and others. The election itch is hard

THIS BUSINESS

OF Living
BY SUSAN THAYER



We live in the greatest country in the world. Everybody says so! People who live in other countries as well as all thoughtful Americans. But did you ever stop to think why the United States is recognized everywhere as such a great nation?

We haven't the most land by a good deal. Soviet Russia has more than two times as much land as we have. Brazil and Canada are both larger. We haven't the largest populations. Russia tops us by millions. So do China and India. We aren't independent of other countries because we don't grow or mine all the things we need for our every-day living. We have to depend on other countries for some of our necessities, even; coffee for instance. We use more than half of the world's supply of coffee and we don't grow a single pound! Then think of all the automobiles that are rolling over the roads in America. It takes quantities of rubber to make tires for these millions of cars and we don't produce any ourselves. We use three quarters of the world's supply of raw silk yet we haven't a silk worm to our name. We also use more sugar, more hides, more nickel, and many other things than we produce.

So it seems that it isn't our size, nor our population, nor our natural resources that make us great. Then what is it that has made us so important and rich and powerful in a comparatively short space of time? The answer seems to be that it's our old American way of organizing and working. From the time this country was first settled, way back in the sixteen hundreds, more men and women have had the chance to work at the things they wanted to, than in any other country in the world. You know how much easier it is for you to get through a big morning's work when it's something you want to do and that seems to you worth doing. Well that's what's happened all over America.

Because this was a new country with a government "of the people and by the people" thousands and thousands of men could farm or run stores or build factories for turning out things that people need if those were the things they wanted to do. No king or government hindered them by saying "No you can't do that" or "You must do it this way."

Nobody helped them, either, by saying "It's better to do it this way." So they made some mistakes just as you do when you bake a new kind of cake for the first time. But they learned by their mistakes and often found better ways of doing things than anybody had ever thought of before.

Because of this kind of independence our ancestors went ahead and built up this country faster than any one dreamed would be possible. We're still a little surprised at it ourselves! Because we do know that today we have more things to eat . . . more clothes to wear . . . more money to spend . . . more electricity to work for than the people in any other country on earth.

This doesn't mean that there aren't certain individuals in other countries with more food, clothes and money than certain individuals here. But the total amount of clothes, food, money and power in the United States is larger, for the number of people among whom they have to be divided, than in any other country. It looks as if our way of doing things, which business men call a "system of free private enterprise" must be pretty good. A better way than they have in countries where one big man controls the activities of everybody. And doesn't it seem as if it would be a mighty good idea for us to hang on to this American way of doing things?

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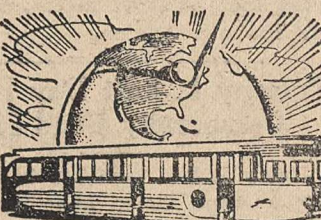
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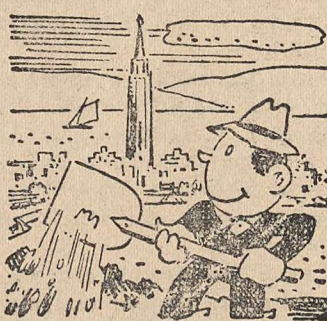
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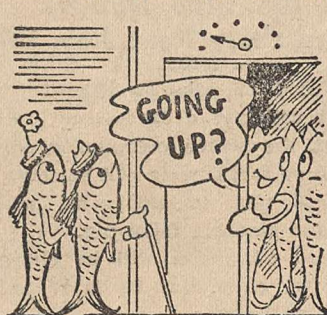
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SIERRA SUN WRITER NOTES INDICATIONS OF BETTER BUSINESS

Extensive Remodeling By
Resorts for Season

(by ANNE ANDERSON)

TAHOE CITY, May 23— Globin's Al Tahoe will open on June 12th for season, according to Frank Globin, the owner. A new laundry, a brick veneered frame structure is nearing completion at the resort. The first large booking of the new season at Globin's will be a convention of 250 members of the California Western States Life Insurance company to be held on June 14th and 15th.

At Cal-Vada, proprietor John Rayburn has added a new cocktail bar and redecorated the interior of the resort. Cal-Vada has been open for about two weeks and free dancing every night is a major attraction. The official opening will be held in the middle of June with adequate ceremony.

At Zephyr Cove, the new lodge built by Mr. and Mrs. C. Wylie, is completed with interiors finished in knotty pine, early American maple furniture and Spanish grill work, with stone and rustic exterior. The new unit includes 20 hotel rooms, coffee shop and game room. An unusual feature of the building of this new resort structure was that work went on all winter, beginning on November 20th and continuing until the end of January, which is an unusual occurrence in this land of heavy snows.

The resort at Crystal Bay, formerly known as Ta-Ne-Va-Ho, has been purchased by M. Auerbach of Los Angeles, who changed the name to the Gold Nugget and is completely remodeling the structure. A new bowling alley, cafe and game room are among the added features.

Historic Glenbrook has been under renovating and will open for the season on June 1st, according to Manager F. S. Shannon. Gardens of this picturesque spot are already ablaze with color.

Cal-Neva Lodge has had the bar, cabins and dining room open since May 4th, though the main building is not open yet. Extensive redecorating has also been planned.

At King's Beach, a large new restaurant building is nearing completion by Owner Joe King, which will be occupied by Axtel and Buggerstaff of Roseville and will be called "The Blue Lagoon."

At the Brockway entrance, a new gasoline service station is nearing completion for William Rindfleisch.

Buckhorn Inn at King's Beach has been leased by A. Gallarini who is also remodeling his Crystal Bay home.

Tahoe Tavern, opening about June 20th, has been remodeled chiefly in the Tavern Casino where seats have been raised, floors sloped and loges installed.

Other business places and homes are under construction all around the lake. A stone and rustic home for Harold Byrnes of Arizona is being

LAKE TAHOE NEWS 'NEWS & VIEWS ABOUT THE LAKE'

by ANNE B. ANDERSON

TAHOE NEWS BRIEFS

The level of Lake Tahoe on Monday was 6227.73 feet, a rise of .22 feet from the level of a week before. Temperatures varied from a high of 71 to a low of 37 on Sunday. Twelve inches of precipitation was recorded during the week.

Traffic was very heavy over the week-end and Patrolman Ellis McCann of Truckee was kept busy on lakeshore highways.

Lucky fishermen this week were Richard Carnell, Billy Bechdolt, Robert Wathen and Charles Steffens. Wathen brought in a 16 pound mackinaw off Rubicon and Steffens got several good sized German brown trout from the Truckee river.

Major and Mrs. A. P. Crist returned to their Tahoe home on Dollar Hill this week.

Mrs. John Kvistberg of Sunnyside is back at her home from New York. Mr. and Mrs. Romey Mirault of San Francisco, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Green at Tahoe Park.

Nat Head, former assistant manager of Del Monte Hotel, will be on the Tahoe Tavern staff this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Chambers returned to Chambers' Lodge which will open around May 25th, according to reports. Chambers, an official of the Lake Tahoe Motorboat Association, has bought a new 316 horsepower Gar Wood with Strips motor, christened Captain Kidd, and it is anticipated that his colors will be entered in this year's regatta.

SUPERINTENDENT AT TAHOE

Elwyn Gregory, superintendent of schools for Placer county, and C. F. Daw, supervisor of instruction, were visitors at Tahoe Lake School on Friday.

built at Incline. A two story frame structure at Zephyr Cove Beach for F. H. Slater of Minden, Nev. Many new cabins at Sky's at State Line on the south end of the lake. Several new homes in the Round Mountain and Elkpoint district. A new post office at Bijou, where a new curio store has just been completed for Jack Meyn. About 11 new cottages at Bijou on the Keller tract. New buildings are appearing at Lakeside on the north end and at Carnelian Bay and Lake Forest.

All this extensive work speaks well for a busy and successful season at Lake Tahoe, the vacationland of Superior California and the great far west.

TAHOE WOMEN'S CLUB JOINS BOOSTER GROUP

TAHOE CITY, May 23— Tahoe Women's club held its first meeting of the season last Thursday at the community center. Members voted to join the Lake Tahoe-Sierra association, lake region booster organization. Mrs. Willis Hevel appointed the board of directors to act as a nominating committee to choose officers for the year.

Members voted to show Mrs. Maye Kayo appreciation for her talk on floral arrangement to the club.

A group of members attended the meeting of the Tri-County Federation of Women's clubs at Placerville Monday. Mrs. Hevel, Mrs. C. O. Valentine, Mrs. Sam Goss, Mrs. Jess Sisk and Mrs. Otto Darlin comprised the delegation.

The next meeting will be on June 6.

RENO RODEO SHOWS PROMISE AS SHOW

RENO, May 23—(Special)— Famed as the fastest growing outdoor event of its type in the west, the Reno rodeo and livestock show will be held July 4-7 at the state race tracks in Reno. Usually a three-day show, the popularity of the rodeo a year ago resulted in adding another day to the program.

Starting on Independence Day, the show offers about \$10,000 for cowboys competing in the the four-day event and the prize list shows the largest amount of money given on July 4th of any rodeo in the nation. As a result, the rodeo will attract the top performers in bronc riding, bull dogging, calf roping, Braham bull riding and all other arena events that go to make up a fast moving show.

From the spectators point of view the event will be greatly improved this year, new corrals and chutes having been installed at the grounds. The arena will be closer to the spectators and an added number of chutes will mean even greater speed to the program.

The top bucking horse string in the west, plus a herd of Braham bulls, will be brought here for the rodeo.

One of the high lights will be the Nevada bronc riding contest with prize money of \$500. This contest is open only to bona fide residents of Nevada. Professional cowboys or members of the Cowboy Turtle Association are not allowed to compete in this event for the title of the champion bronc rider of Nevada.

TAHOE SCHOOL NOTES

Bernard Corrigan, athletic director of the Tahoe branch high school, took two competitors from the lake school to a track meet for small high schools held at Vacaville last Saturday. Blake Goss and Rodney Yeakel comprised the local team. Twenty schools were entered in the event.

Tahoe high school students attended a weiner roast and picnic near Woodwharf Friday night. Games, swimming and other diversions entertained the group, chaperoned by Mrs. Bliss Hinkle and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Corrigan.

Graduation exercises will be held at Auburn on May 29th for the Placer Union High School. Three students of the Tahoe branch will be among the graduates this year. They are Patty Henry, Pauline Steinheimer and Jay Stark.

At an important meeting of the school trustees held last week, plans were made for several improvements to Tahoe Lake School and grounds this year. Lighting equipment will be improved by the addition of new paint which will provide reflected light. Acoustics in the annex will be improved and grounds made more attractive.

An interesting feature of the program on Friday was a lecture given by Mrs. Trueman Sudduth of Denton, Texas, on Washington, D. C., and a birdseye view of Texas. The program made an excellent tie-in with classes at the school.

RED CROSS AT LAKE MAY GET LIFE GUARD

TAHOE CITY, May 23— A meeting of Red Cross members and friends was held at Tahoe Community Center Monday afternoon with Mrs. George Bliss, chairman, presiding. Members decided to consider having a swimming and life saving instructor during the summer and will probably take definite action on the matter at the next meeting at the center on Tuesday at 2 P.M.

A report of finances was also made to the group and discussion of sewing and financial aid to European civilians was held. All members and friends interested are urged to attend and assist the project in any way they can.

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Political Notices

PRIMARY ELECTION, August 27

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C. B. WHITE
SUPERVISOR

Fifth District of Nevada County, Cal.

Elect
BEN TONINI
SUPERVISOR

Fifth District of Nevada County, Cal.

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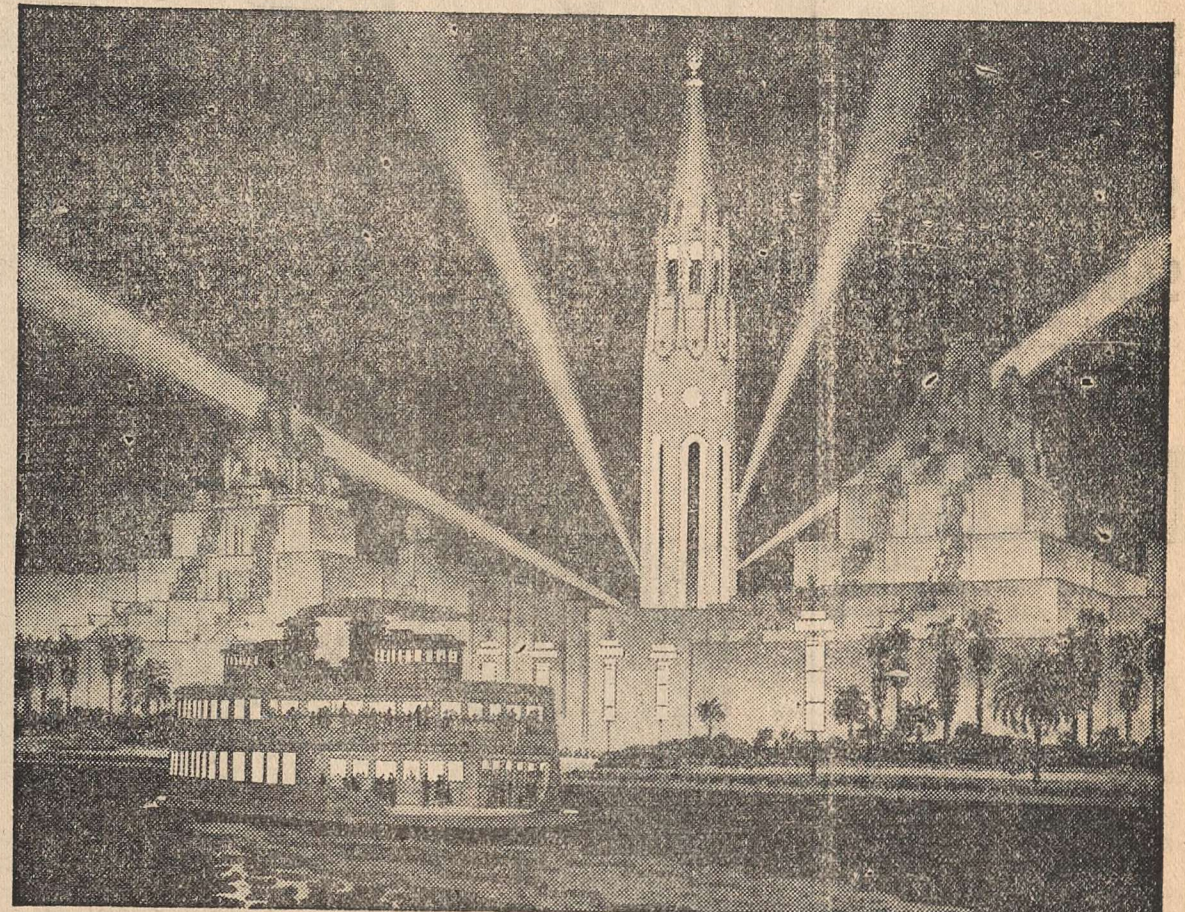
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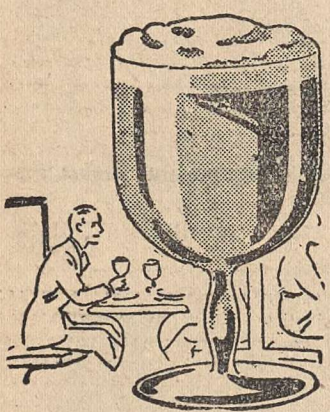
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EDITOR OF EIGHTIES CHRONICLES BEAUTY OF TAHOE REGION

The following is another excerpt from The Tourist Guide and Directory to the Truckee Basin, published at the Truckee Republican office by C. F. Edwards, publisher, in 1883.

The greatest dimension of this lake deviates but slightly from a meridian line. Its maximum length is about 54 miles and its greatest width is about 12 miles. In consequence of the irregularity of its outline, it is difficult to estimate its exact area but cannot deviate much from 192 to 195 square miles.

The railroad surveys indicate that the elevation of the surface of its waters above the level of the ocean is about 6,247 feet.

Its drainage basin including in this its own area, is estimated to be about 500 square miles. Probably more than 100 affluents of various capacities—deriving their waters from the amphitheater of snow-clad mountains which rise on all sides from 3,000 to 4,000 feet above the surface—contribute their quota to supply this lake. The largest of these affluents is the Upper Truckee river, which falls into its southern extremity. The only outlet to the lake is the Truckee river, which carries the surplus water from a point on its northwestern shore out through a magnificent gorge; thence northeast through the arid plains of Nevada into Pyramid Lake. After all that has been written, the artist's skill exhausted, the poets' muse lulled to quiet, still there has not been even an introduction to the beautiful tales and classic legends accompanying the grandeur of the lake and scenery along the Truckee river. Every mile of the route from Truckee to Tahoe is teeming with objects of grandeur, interest and beauty, and accompanied with legends as beautiful and mythological as those emanating from classic lore. Look at the huge old cliff which carries its record of ages long prior to the Biblical account of the origin of the earth and mankind. See the old man's face,



NEW YORK—Lord Lothian, left, British ambassador to the United States, chats with J. P. Morgan at a New York dinner, after asserting that "30 days" might decide the fate of dictators.

which stands in bold relief thousands of feet above you. Then upon another view of the same cliff appears the outlines of an old woman's face. Which has its legends as varied as they are absurd. Then comes that wondrous Indian mound, composed of a huge pile of stones. Here again we have legends as numerous as there are Bohemians that see it. It is said that 300 years ago 750 warrior chiefs were buried there and that every time one of any of the tribes who are represented in this tomb of antiquity passes this spot an additional stone is placed upon it. No hand can pencil, no pen describe one hundredth part of the beauties of that beautiful sheet of water, forming a little sea, as it were, on the mountain top, guarded on all sides by huge mountain sentries lifting their grim, shaggy heights above its surface. Not a spot on its borders but lends its individual charm to the beauty of the scene. Grandeur and enchantment, possesses every single spot, and the panorama of never ending mountain and valley, woodland and meadow, sunshine and cloud, is grand, impressive and never tiring. Around the shore it is an emerald green, deepening into blue beyond. Under a changing sky it grows more sombre, giving a rich wine, purple or violet hue. Lashed by wind it looks a dark bottle green.

FEDERAL OFFICIAL IS VISITOR AT TAHOE

TAHOE CITY, May 23—An interested guest at Tahoe Saturday was Chief Naturalist Traeger of the National Park Service at Washington, D.C., who is making an extended tour of the western states on official business. Traeger took many pictures of the lake and vicinity and said he considered the Tahoe region had outstanding recreational possibilities.

Charles Arment, ranger at Tahoe Public Camp, greeted the visitor and acted as his guide.

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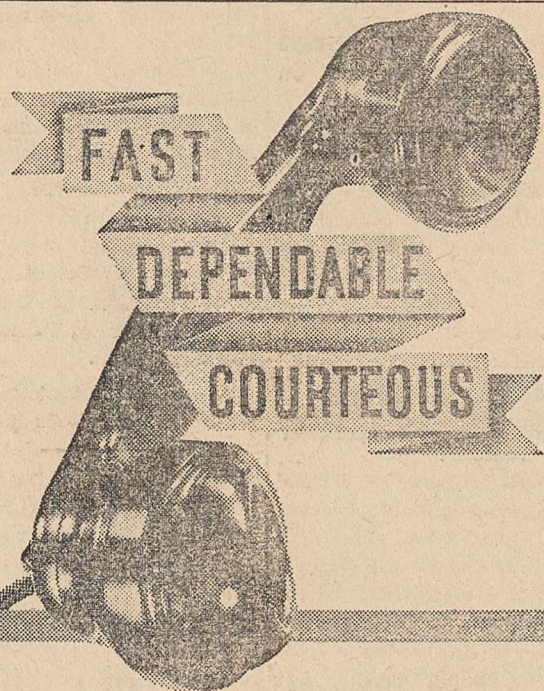
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Room 373, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, until 2 o'clock p.m. on May 23, 1940, at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the Assembly Room of said building, for construction in accordance with the specifications therefore, to which special reference is made of portions of State Highway as follows:

Nevada County, between Donner Summit and two miles easterly (III-Nev-37-C), about nine-tenths (0.9) mile in length, to be graded, surfaced with premixed bituminous treated surfacing and seal coat applied.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

CLASSIFICATION	RATE PER HOUR
Asphalt plant dryerman or fireman	\$ 0.90
Asphalt plant mixer operator	1.10
Blacksmith	1.10
Blade grader operator (finish work)	1.50
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Concrete worker for structures (wet and dry)	0.80
Concrete vibrator operator	1.00
Driller	0.90
Flagman	0.825
Grader operator (towing or motor, rough work)	1.25
Guard	0.825
Handyman (roustabout)	0.825
Laborer	0.825
Mason	1.00
Mechanic (trouble shooter)	1.10
Oil distributor bootman	0.875
Oiler (power shovels or cranes)	1.00
Operator of power shovel or other excavating equipment, shovel type controls (¾ cubic yard or more)	1.50
Painter	1.10
Pipe layer (does not include culverts)	0.82
Powderman	0.90
Reinforcing steel worker	1.25
Roller operator	1.25
Sloper	0.75
Tractor driver (heavy)	1.50
Truck driver	0.875
Teamster	0.825
Watchman	0.60
Any classification omitted herein not less than	0.825
Overtime—double the above rates	
Sundays and holidays (except watchmen, guards and flagmen)—double the above rates	

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1777.5 of the Labor Code, as amended by Chapter 971, Statutes of 1939, and in accordance with the regulations of the California Apprenticeship Council, properly indentured apprentices may be employed in the prosecution of the work.

Proposal forms will be issued only to those Contractors who have furnished a verified statement of experience and financial condition in accordance with the provisions of the State Contract Act, and whose statements so furnished are satisfactory to the Department of Public Works.

No bid will be accepted from a Contractor who is not licensed in accordance with law, under the provisions of Chapter 791, Statutes of 1929, as amended, or Chapter 37, Statutes of 1939, as amended, or to whom a proposal form has not been issued by the Department of Public Works.

Plans may be seen, and forms of proposal, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, and they may be seen at the offices of the District Engineers at Los Angeles and San Francisco, at the office of the District Engineer of the district in which the work is situated, and at the office of the Associated General Contractors in San Francisco. The District Engineers' offices are located at Eureka, Redding, Marysville, San Francisco, San Luis Obispo, Fresno, Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Bishop, Stockton, and San Diego.

A representative from the district office will be available to accompany prospective bidders for an inspection of the work herein contemplated, and Contractors are urged to investigate the location, character, and quantity of work to be done, with a representative of the Division of Highways. It is requested that arrangements for joint field inspection be made as far in advance as possible.

No bid will be received unless it is made on a blank form furnished by the State Highway Engineer. The special attention of prospective bidders is called to the "Proposal Requirements and Conditions" annexed to the blank form of proposal, for full directions as to bidding, etc.

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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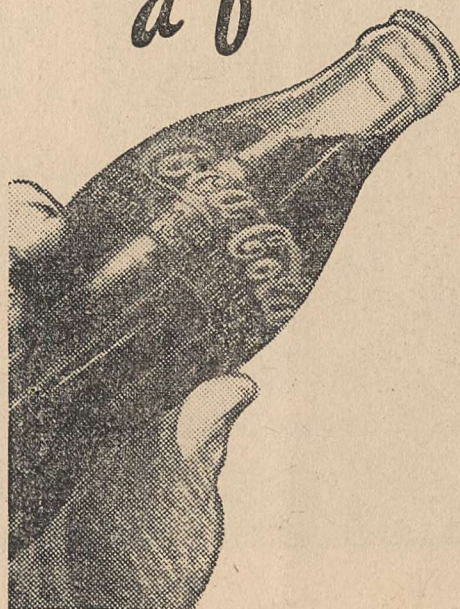
In the Matter of the Estate of FRANK ROBERT BENNETT, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned LILA M. CHAMPION, as administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Frank Robert Bennett, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix with the will annexed at the law offices of Lynne Kelly, 127 Mill Street, Grass Valley, Nevada County, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of Frank Robert Bennett, Deceased.

Dated May 17th, 1940.

Lila M. Champion, Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Frank Robert Bennett, Deceased.
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Lynne Kelly,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada.

In the Matter of the Estate of) FELIX MASSERA, Deceased)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Rose Mary Kiehofer as executrix of the last will and testament of Felix Massera, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the clerk of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication to the said executrix at the law offices of Frank G. Finnegan, 207 North Pine Street, Nevada City, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Felix Massera, Deceased.

Rose Mary Kiehofer
Executrix of the last will and testament of Felix Massera, Deceased.

Frank G. Finnegan,
Attorney for Executrix.
First Publication: May 9, 1940
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PAPER SCARCE IN '76

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TODAY'S STATE PROBLEMS
HARK BACK FOR 90 YEARS

SACRAMENTO, May 23 —(U.P.)—The troubles that best Gov. Culbert Olson's administration are not new ones, not by nearly 90 years.

Secretary of State Paul Peek combined through the files of his office the other day and brought out the first message of the first governor to his legislature.

In it, Gov. Peter H. Burnett asked

an appropriation for relief, and declared the migrant problem was one of the most serious facing the state. Governor Burnett, however, proposed a budget of only \$500,000, in comparison to more than half a billion asked by Olson last year.

The first governor also wondered where the money was coming from. He suggested both taxes and bond issue and finally a \$300,000 block of bonds was sold.

Peek's records hold a wealth of

AFL REFUSES SUPPORT TO
STRIKING BUS DRIVERS

O. A. Rowan, general executive board member of the amalgamated association of street, electric railway and motor coach employees, has just received word from John O'Connell, secretary of the San Francisco labor council, that William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, telegraphed instructions for all unions affiliated with the San Francisco labor council to support the amalgamated in their fight with the brotherhood of railroad trainmen involving Greyhound bus drivers.

Following the announcement, the business agent of the teamsters ordered the teamsters to make deliveries to Greyhound properties and to ignore picket lines.

unusual facts—for instance, the first legislature on its first meeting day adopted a resolution asking for "two stoves and sufficient wood." The oath of office of the first governor, in his own writing, is in the office files.

The choice job among attaches of the legislature in those days was that of interpreter. All records were kept in both Spanish and English.

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NOTICE is hereby given the Electors of the Truckee Elementary School District of Nevada County, California, that the Annual Election of members of the governing board of the Meadow Lake Union High School District, will be held at the Truckee Grammar Elementary School in said elementary school district on the first Friday in JUNE, viz, JUNE 7, 1940.

It will be necessary to elect One member for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two o'clock P. M. and Six o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in said elementary school district are:

Mrs. Winifred McGwinn, Inspector
Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Judge
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge

Signed:
H. I. Snider
Flora Titus
Henrietta Weeks
A. Schmidt
Lotta Bryant

Members of Governing Board
Dated May 6, 1940 (M16-23-39)



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Europe's furious "total war" with its terrific carnage and ominous implications, has made its impact felt even in California's state capitol. There's a stirring of war-time patriotism in legislative debate, a mounting impatience with subversive influences. At the start of each week's session, members of the Assembly solemnly pledge allegiance to the flag. And where legislators gather, after hours, the talk is of war, instead of legislation.

Attorney General Earl Warren's blitzkrieg against the bookmaking establishments has been so devastatingly effective, our spy advises, that the bookies intend to make another desperate effort to legalize their business. If petitions can be qualified in time, they'll go on the ballot in November with an initiative act to license bookmaking on the races, just as betting is licensed at the tracks.

"So you won't talk; well we'll just see about that!" In the parlance of the streets, that's what an indignant legislature said, a day or two ago, to State relief employees who refused to testify before the Yorty Committee investigating Communism in SRA. Thereupon the lawmakers instructed Relief Administrator Walter Chambers to fire any and all SRA employees who "dummy up" on the witness stand. Defiant employees will talk, the Legislature ordered—"or else."

NOTICE OF ELECTION

for
Member of Governing Board of
Elementary School District
(School Code Section 2.873)

NOTICE is hereby given the Electors of the Truckee Elementary School District of Nevada County, California, that the Annual Election of members of the governing board of said Truckee School District will be held at the Grammar Elementary School in said district on the first Friday in JUNE, viz, JUNE 7, 1940.

It will be necessary to elect One member for three years.

The polls will be open between the hours of Two o'clock P. M. and Six o'clock P. M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in said elementary school district are:

Mrs. Winifred McGwinn, Inspector
Mrs. Cora Maxsom, Judge
Mrs. Crystal Nelson, Judge

Signed:
Mrs. George Kamp
N. F. Dolley
Mrs. Dan Smith, Clerk.

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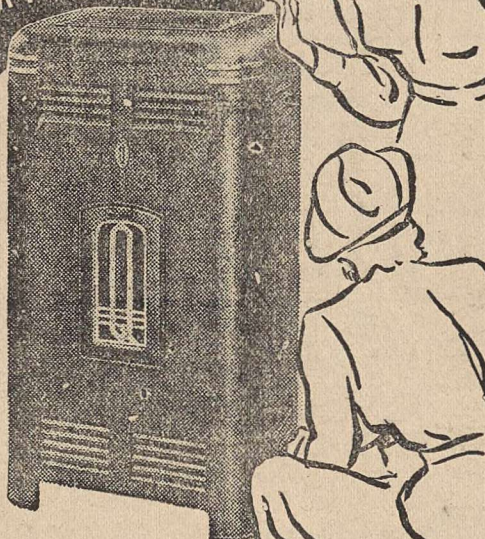
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Releases Delegates—
State Senator Jerrold Seawell of Roseville this week released the 44 delegates pledged to vote for his candidacy for president at the Republican convention in Philadelphia on June 24th.

Official Here—
F. H. Horswill, safety engineer of the State Compensation Insurance Fund, was a local visitor this week.

Guardianship—
In superior court: Guardianship of Andrus McDougald Smith, incompetent. C. B. White appointed to re-appraise estate.

Fair Postponed—
The 20th district fair at Auburn has been postponed from June 7-9 to June 28-30 to permit completion of new buildings under construction.

Closing Date—
Placer county officials announced that both the Tahoe Lake school and the Norden Emergency school will close for the summer on June 21st.

From Sparks—
Mr. and Mrs. H. Seibold of Sparks attended the Knights of Pythias roll call last Saturday night here.

At Roll Call—
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Weeks of Grass Valley were in Truckee Saturday to attend the Pythian roll call and spend the week-end at Hobart Mills.

Chamber of Commerce—
Luncheon will be held at noon at the California Cafe next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Murray of San Jose, who visited friends in Truckee and Sparks over the week-end, have returned to their home.

Attends Council—
Mrs. Hannah Stewart, member of the Ceanotha Council, Degree of the Pocomontas, attended the celebration of the 50th anniversary of that council which was held in Grass Valley on May 17th.

Out of Town—
Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Nelson spent the week-end in Grass Valley and Roseville. Mrs. Clyde Murray of the latter town returned with them for a brief visit.

Sacramento Guests—
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tregellas and Miss Katherine Tregellas of Sacramento spent the week-end here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Englehart, Sr.

From Nevada City—
Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Tamblin of Nevada City were the guests of the Verne Shattucks last week-end while fishing in this region.

League Meeting—
The Young Peoples' League of the Community Methodist church will meet at 6 p.m. Sunday. Lena Tennis will be discussion leader.

Visiting Relatives—
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Canady, with their son, of Roseville are visiting their daughters, Mrs. Earl Smith and Mrs. Leroy Wilson, and their families this week.

Banquet Held—
A banquet preceded the official visit of Mrs. Katherine Jones of Grass Valley to the Truckee chapter, No. 116, O. E. S., which was held on May 21st. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rowe and Mrs. Jane Wergis, all of Grass Valley, were also visitors here.

To Sacramento—
W. F. Wilkie, Jr., Saturday will leave for Sacramento to select fresh vegetables and fruits for the Truckee Mercantile. The trip will be made weekly during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. White attended the funeral services held in Auburn on Friday for J. Brennan who was well known here in former years. His death occurred last week in his home at Loomis.

Notice of Intended Transfer of Stock in Trade

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Calvin C. CHAPMAN and Jane G. CHAPMAN, also known as Jane Greeley Chapman, his wife, both residing at 1616 La Vareda Street, Berkeley, California, intend to sell, transfer, assign, and convey to MARGARET C. RYAN of 214 Haight Street, San Francisco, California, all of their and each of their right, title, claim and interest in and to all of the stock in trade, fixtures, accounts, licenses and other personal property contained in that certain auto camp and ski lodge business known and designated as EMIGRANT TRAIL CAMP AND SKI LODGE, located opposite the Emigrant Trail Monument about 2 miles West of Truckee in the County of Nevada, State of California, on the 29th day of May, 1940, at 10 a. m. of said day at the office of IRVING KEELEER, 737 Pacific Building, 821 Market Street, San Francisco, California.
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